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REMARKS

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed on July 7, 2005. In the Office Action, claims 1-27 were subject to a restriction requirement.

The Office Action required an election to claims 1-21 (Group I) or claims 22-27 (Group II). With this communication, Applicant elects to prosecute Group I, which includes claims 1-21. Additionally, Applicant has canceled claims 22-27 and added claims 28-33, which are drawn to a suspension interconnect.

Applicant respectfully requests allowance of the pending claims. Favorable action is solicited.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

Respectfully submitted,

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